

- Surveying different linnings and pathways to identify any problems that might be cured when funding became available.

Also attended

- Neighbourhood Forum meetings.
- Village Hall committee meetings.
- Met the Highway Steward to discuss issues concerning local roads.

The Parish Council has helped

- The Watson Hall Committee gain a Council grant towards the cost of purchasing new chairs and given the committee a donation towards the Hall's running expenses.
- The PCC by giving a donation towards the upkeep of the Churchyard.
- The Watson Cottages Trust advertise their vacancy for a new trustee and further helped by setting up an election for this post.

To sum up

- The Parish Council has had a largely successful year and has completed some expensive repair and renewal tasks without the need to raise the precept. This has been possible by obtaining funds, when needs arose, from different sources. I would like to thank Doreen Parsons and Nick Marriner for their financial contributions during the year, which made a lot of things possible.
- The Parish Council has tackled all issues brought to it and raised many of its own. It remains committed to helping the Village, all it can.
- The Chairman wishes, once again, to thank the Parish Clerk for all her efforts and in particular, her dogged persistence and unerring enthusiasm. Similarly, the Chairman wishes to thank the Parish Councillors for all their efforts and contributions.
- Also thank the auditor for his valuable work and advice.
- Thanks to both our City and County Councillors for their continued support and advice.